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Application of: Takashi SHIRAHATA et al.

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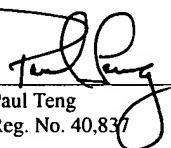
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 in response to the final Office Action dated February 23, 2010 in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** beginning on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.